

Learning Cryptograms — Set 11

6 puzzles · Large print · answers on the last page

Every letter has been swapped for another letter. The same cipher letter always stands for the same letter, and no letter ever stands for itself. Write your answer in the blank under each letter. Answers are on the last page.

1. Clue: K = E

Medium · 57 letters

Q O J M O D P S B K A W P

K W V D E O E K W M P J L

K P F I M K W F G K M V D J O .

W P L J X K M R W P ' V , D

R K W P .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

2. Clue: D = E

Hard · 57 letters

Y Q P D U Q M A Y W M Y Z V

Z E T E M H O E Y K W M

E Z Z - Y D S R D L D B

R D L A Q M , S F A Y P D

B L D W B X F Z .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

3. Clue: X = A

Medium · 58 letters

M L Y O L X W Y

G Y X E I U Y T G X A O X

G V C Y M Q M U Y X T X

G Y X E I U Y K V M L O Q I

Q A M L V E R U X E E .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

4. Clue: U = E

Medium · 58 letters

N U V Z B V H U J N U

Y F P N I K J N Y J V Z

Y B G Y R Z V F J N U Z U Y ,

R U J L I U Z F I J

B U Y K F J I Z G V C .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

5. Clue: A = T

Medium · 59 letters

P A U N D X C R M J F M T L

R P E R N N B A O J A

K N I A J P I M C J X X A O M

G J L R M Z D A A M T M C P I

J C J L .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

6. Clue: Q = E

Hard · 59 letters

D Z Z B A V Y A K D Q
G Q W I W A
I Q N C D Q G W K Q N H W R I
G Q A Q G M Q I N H W A
K U Q H F Q G Q
F G C K K Q R .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

Solver's cheat sheet	
Most common letters	E T A O I N S H R D L U
Most common 1-letter words	A I
Most common 2-letter words	OF TO IN IT IS BE AS AT SO WE HE BY OR ON DO IF ME MY UP AN GO NO US AM
Most common 3-letter words	THE AND FOR ARE BUT NOT YOU ALL ANY CAN HER WAS ONE OUR OUT DAY GET HAS HIM HIS HOW MAN NEW NOW OLD SEE TWO WAY WHO BOY DID ITS LET PUT SAY SHE TOO USE
Common double letters	LL EE SS OO TT FF RR NN PP CC
Common word endings	-ING -ION -ENT -TION -LY -ED -ER -EST

Answer key

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1. "By trying we can easily learn to endure adversity. Another man's, I mean."

— Mark Twain, 1897, *Following the Equator*

Cipher key: A=C B=W C=P D=I E=L F=D G=V H=Q I=U J=T K=E L=O M=R N=F O=Y P=N Q=B R=M S=G T=K
U=X V=S W=A X=H Y=Z Z=J

2. "To be constantly living with an ill-tempered person, must be dreadful."

— Jane Austen, 1815, *Emma*

Cipher key: A=S B=D C=X D=E E=I F=U G=Q H=G I=K J=Z K=H L=R M=N N=J O=W P=B Q=O R=P S=M T=V
U=C V=Y W=A X=F Y=T Z=L

3. "They have measured many a mile to tread a measure with you on this grass."

— William Shakespeare, 1597, *Love's Labour's Lost*, Act V. Sc. 2 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

Cipher key: A=N B=Q C=L D=P E=S F=X G=M H=J I=U J=C K=W L=H M=T N=B O=Y P=Z Q=O R=G S=K T=D
U=R V=I W=V X=A Y=E Z=F

4. "He is like the anchor that is always in the sea, yet does not learn to swim."

— Italian proverb, 1857, Recorded with English translation in Henry G. Bohn, *A Polyglot of Foreign Proverbs* (London, 1857)

Cipher key: A=Q B=L C=M D=P E=J F=N G=W H=K I=O J=T K=R L=D M=X N=H O=V P=C Q=U R=Y S=B T=Z
U=E V=I W=G X=F Y=A Z=S

5. "It would be a very big book that contained all the maybes uttered in a day."

— French proverb, 1857, Recorded with English translation in Henry G. Bohn, *A Polyglot of Foreign Proverbs* (London, 1857)

Cipher key: A=T B=K C=D D=U E=G F=V G=M H=Q I=N J=A K=C L=Y M=E N=O O=H P=I Q=Z R=B S=X T=R
U=W V=F W=P X=L Y=J Z=S

6. "Books must be read as deliberately and reservedly as they were written."

— Henry David Thoreau, 1854, *Walden*

Cipher key: A=S B=K C=I D=B E=Q F=W G=R H=Y I=D J=F K=T L=J M=V N=L O=G P=Z Q=E R=N S=X T=P
U=H V=M W=A X=C Y=U Z=O